

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 2003028-0048 (Ariad 331D USD1)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appellant:	Schreiber & Crabtree	Examiner:	Vogel
Serial No.:	09/834,424	Art Unit:	1636
Filed:	April 13, 2001		
For:	METHODS AND MATERIALS INVOLVING DIMERIZATION-MEDIATED REGULATION OF BIOLOGICAL EVENTS		

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Responsive to the non-final Office Action mailed May 29, 2009 in the above-referenced application and further to the telephonic interview held on September 23, 2009, Applicants request consideration of the following Remarks. The deadline for filing a Response was August 29, 2009. A Petition for a three (3) month extension of time to respond to the Office Action is being mailed herewith that extends the deadline for responding until November 29, 2009. Applicants submit that the present Response is therefore timely filed on November 20, 2009.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this Paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this Paper.